

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of Michael A. Wood, et al. Art Unit 1621
Serial No. 10/577,340
Filed April 28, 2006
Confirmation No. 4895
For HOMOGENEOUS PROCESS FOR THE HYDROGENATION OF DICARBOXYLIC ACIDS
AND/OR ANHYDRIDES THEREOF

January 23, 2007

**LETTER IN RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35
U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)**

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS,

SIR:

In response to the "NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35
U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE DO/EO/US),"
* dated December 22, 2006, enclosed is applicants' signed Declaration
* and Power of Attorney in the above-referenced application. A copy of
the Notice is returned herewith.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee for the
surcharge in the amount of \$130 to Deposit Account No. 19-1345. The
Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which
may be required to Deposit Account No. 19-1345.

Respectfully submitted,

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